

# The Solicitors' Journal.

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\* \* In the first number of the new volume of THE SOLICITORS' JOURNAL, to be published on November 1, there will be commenced a series of articles on "THE ORGANIZATION OF A SOLICITOR'S OFFICE."

## CURRENT TOPICS.

AT MR. JUSTICE CHITTY'S last sitting in court, during the present vacation, he had a list of about forty matters and several *ex parte* applications. He reached the end of the list before rising.

A STATEMENT has appeared that the Government have been investigating the circumstances under which a draft scheme for redistribution found its way into the columns of a daily paper, with the view of taking such legal proceedings in the matter as they may be advised. It is suggested that an *employee* of the Queen's Printers may have abstracted and sold either a proof or revised sheet of matter entrusted to him, amongst others, to keep secret from the public. Such a breach of duty would no doubt justify an immediate dismissal, but would not, so far as we know, form any foundation for criminal proceedings, unless it could be shown, in law and in fact, that the sheet was stolen. The larceny, if larceny there were, could only be felony at common law, for no statute makes it larceny to steal pieces of paper or printers' proofs. The difficulty in sustaining an indictment for a common law larceny would lie in showing that the thing stolen was in the eye of the law of any value, but on this point the decisions are rather severe upon thieves, the effect of them appearing to be that the thing stolen need not be of any known value, not even of a farthing value, if it be of value to the owner (see Russell on Crimes, vol. 2, p. 283, citing *Reg. v. Morris*, 9 C. & P. 349, *per Parke*, B., and other cases). Although, however, a common law larceny only should be proved, it seems that an indictment for the statutory felony of receiving stolen goods might be maintained against a purchaser of the proof or revise, inasmuch as the Larceny Act, 1861 (24 & 25 Vict. c. 96, s. 91), which makes this kind of felony punishable by penal servitude for not more than fourteen years, applies to the receiving of property the taking of which amounts to a felony "either at common law or by virtue of this Act."

THE APPLICATION made to the Vacation Judge by the executor of the late Lord LYTTON re-opened the old question of the rights of the receiver of a letter. Nothing is more clearly established than that the receiver of a letter has a right to the possession of it (*Oliver v. Oliver*, 11 C. B. N. S. 139); but the authorities are also express that a man, by sending a letter to another, although he gives him a right to read and keep the letter, does not give the right to publish it, and that the writer has the right to control publication, and to restrain it. This was first decided in the poet POPE's case (*Pope v. Curl*, 2 Atk. 341), and from the many subsequent authorities it may be gathered (see *Gee v. Pritchard*, 2 Swanst. 426) that the court proceeds upon a right of property in the writer, and does not restrain publication merely because it may wound the feelings of the writer, or because a letter may have been written in confidence. The cases are rare in which executors have applied for an injunction, but there is no doubt that the right to restrain goes to the legal personal representatives of the writer, and at least two cases can be found in the books in which an injunction has been granted. In *Thompson v. Stanhope* (Amb. 739), the great Lord CHESTERFIELD's executors obtained an injunction restraining the publication of his celebrated letters to his son by EUGENIA STANHOPE, the son's widow, although the executors were recommended "to permit the publication in case they saw no objection to the work

upon reading it"; and in *Earl of Granard v. Dunkin* (1 Ball & B. 207), Lord MANNERS, C., followed *Thompson v. Stanhope* without any qualification. It is considered, however, that the receiver of a letter may publish it when publication is necessary for the vindication of his character from an accusation publicly made by the writer (*Percival v. Phipps*, 2 V. & B. 25); but whether this justification would be available to an executor of the receiver has not, so far as we know, been decided.

A CORRESPONDENT suggests for our consideration a curious point in connection with the remarkable section of the new Judicature Act (section 7) upon which we commented last week; whereby "judges of county courts shall have every qualification conferred on her Majesty's counsel learned in the law" by 13 & 14 Vict. c. 25, which latter Act empowers such counsel to be placed on the commission of assize, the net result being that county court judges may, if and so far as the Crown so please, transact any assize business, civil or criminal. Our correspondent reminds us that the Act, 13 & 14 Vict. c. 25, was repealed by the Statute Law Revision Act, 1875, "as from the commencement of the Judicature Act, 1873," and this is no doubt the case. The question, therefore, is whether the whole of section 7 of the new Act, as incorporating a repealed Act, is inoperative, or whether it has any and what operation. On the one hand, it may be argued that, inasmuch as, by 13 & 14 Vict. c. 21, s. 5, a repealed Act cannot be revived except by express enactment, a re-enactment of a repealed Act in different words, but with no express revival, has no statutory force. On the other hand, it may be said that the re-enacted Act must be considered as a kind of schedule to the enacting Act, and, therefore, as having the force of the enacting Act. For ourselves, we have little or no doubt on the point. The rule was laid down in *Reg. v. Smith* (21 W. R. 382, L. R. 8 Q. B. 146) that "where a prior Act, or part of a prior Act, is incorporated with a subsequent Act, it is the same thing as if the words of the first Act had been repeated in the second Act," and that "the repeal of the first Act will not take away the effect of the words which are so repeated in the second Act by incorporation"; and the earlier cases of *Reg. v. Stock* (8 A. & E. 405) and *Reg. v. Merionethshire Justices* (6 Q. B. 343) are to the same effect, and were confirmed in *Reg. v. Smith*. We think, therefore, that the 7th section of the new Act has full force, and, in the statutory sense, virtue. We may observe that the reason for the repeal of 13 & 14 Vict. c. 25 by the Statute Law Revision Act is to be found in the fact that it was practically re-enacted by section 37 of the Judicature Act, 1873, which provides that any of her Majesty's counsel may be included in the commission of assize. It is, of course, much to be regretted that the learned member of the House of Commons who was originally responsible for the provision which is now section 7 of the Judicature Act, 1884, did not take the trouble to consult the Statute Book before proposing his amendment; but law is law, however awkwardly it may be promulgated, and we think the blunder is one to which the history of legislation furnishes no parallel, or furnishes a parallel in the Licensing Acts alone—one of which, we may observe, led to the decision in *Reg. v. Smith* (*ubi supra*), which was followed by the amending section 7 of the Licensing Act, 1874, inasmuch as in the Licensing Act, 1872, the Legislature had inadvertently done what it had not intended to do.

THE SUMMARY JURISDICTION Repeal Act of last session (47 & 48 Vict. c. 43)—which is partly a Statute Law Revision Act of a type similar to that of the Promissory Oaths Act, 1871, and the Civil Procedure Act, 1881, and partly a substantive Summary Jurisdiction Act—has been much needed ever since the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1879, was passed. The repeals effected are very

numerous, and are, with the exception of the provisions as to appeal procedure, merely of the statute law revision type—that is to say, the repealed enactments are either obsolete, as those which direct the punishment of whipping in default of distress sufficient to satisfy a fine, or have been already impliedly repealed, as those which prescribed a special form of conviction, and have been superseded by Jervis's Act. The substantive provisions are not numerous, but one of them, at least (section 6), is of very great importance. It will be remembered that the Act of 1879, by section 31, established a uniform procedure for appeal to quarter sessions against convictions or orders under that Act itself, or under any Act passed after it. Section 32, however, in the case of appeals given by Acts passed before the Act of 1879, gave the appellant a singular option. He might either appeal under the procedure marked out under the Act giving the particular appeal, or he might appeal under the procedure established by the Act of 1879. This option is now entirely taken away, and the appellant may proceed only under the Act of 1879. "He shall," says the Legislature, "appeal subject to the conditions and regulations contained in the Summary Jurisdiction Act, 1879." The legal meaning of this is clear, though, perhaps, a greater verbal clearness would have been desirable. In addition to this important enactment, the statute further declares the meaning of "court of summary jurisdiction" to be a court of justice "acting under the Summary Jurisdiction Acts, or any of them, or under any other Act, or by virtue of his or their commission, or by the common law." This amplification was clearly needed, so far as the statutes were concerned; but, although the words "by the common law" can do no harm, we confess ourselves unable to understand how justices, whose jurisdiction is the creature of statute, can derive any powers from the common law.

THE FIRST PROSECUTION for unlawfully using the Royal Arms came off on Wednesday last. Contrary to the impression which prevailed at one time, it appeared that the proceedings were not instituted by the Lord Chamberlain's office, but by a private informer, who did not, however, get much for his pains, a fine of one shilling only being inflicted. The case, however, shows the annoyance which may be inflicted on respectable tradesmen by the operation of section 106 of the Patents Act. It is no light matter to be had up at a police court; to have to engage solicitors and counsel, and to have your case published in all the daily papers. The insertion of the section into the Patents Act was, as we have always maintained, a mistake; and to bring its existence into prominence by such circulars as those recently addressed to the town clerks, appears to be a further mistake.

The Supreme Court of the Duchy of Brunswick, says the *Times*, has just given final judgment in a suit of, perhaps, unprecedented duration. It was an ejectment suit by Count Stolberg against the Brunswick Government for possession of the county of Blankenburg and its domains; the market value of which was estimated at many hundreds of thousands of pounds. The original suit was commenced in the year 1604, in the Imperial Chamber of Wetzlar, which was the supreme court for settling disputes between sovereign princes of the German Empire. It dragged on through various stages till 1649, when judgment was given, and then it fell into abeyance. Subsequently, the county, with its appanages, came into the possession of the Dukes of Brunswick. The object of the late proceedings was to revive this suit, for the purpose of declaring Count Stolberg entitled to the title and domains. The court decided finally against his claim.

At the Cambridge Borough Quarter Sessions the recorder, Mr. Bulwer, Q.C., in discharging the grand jury, expressed his regret that twenty-four grand and thirty-six petty jurymen should have been called together, doubtless at great inconvenience to some of them, for such a small amount of business (there being only two prisoners for trial and both unimportant cases). They would, also, doubtless observe in the course of a few days that the same number would be summoned to the Assize Court at Chesterton for the transaction of a like amount of business, and not only would their time again be sacrificed, but also that of the judge, and that at a time when the business of the High Court of Justice was brought to a standstill through lack of judges to try causes. He, in his capacity as recorder, could try a case of housebreaking if it occurred between sunrise and sunset; if, however, it happened in the night it was constituted burglary, and must be tried at the Assize Court. The same rule applied to the crimes of obtaining money by false pretences and forgery. He had power to deal with the former, while for the latter a judge must be sent down from London, accompanied by all the paraphernalia of justice, to try it, though his absence caused a deadlock in metropolitan business. Several remedies had been suggested, but he thought that if the sessions were invested with more discretionary power, a great deal of annoyance and still greater inconvenience would be obviated.

## COVENANT TO PAY TAXES.

V.

WE come now to sum up the results of our somewhat extended investigation of the construction which has been given in the reported decisions to covenants to pay taxes. These results may be conveniently expressed in the following propositions, the authority for which will be found on reference to our previous articles. It will be understood that we are referring throughout to a covenant by a tenant.

(1.) A covenant to pay taxes will only apply to taxes existing at the time of the making of the covenant and future taxes of the same nature as those then existing. It is, therefore, necessary, if it is intended that the covenant shall extend to all future taxes of every description, that express words should be inserted relating to such future taxes. The long rigmarole which has hitherto been used for that purpose is, however, quite unnecessary; the words "every present and every future," preceding the description of the imposts to be paid or borne, will suffice.

(2.) A covenant to pay "taxes" will include everything which is covered by the term "parliamentary taxes"; and a covenant to pay "rates" will include everything which is covered by the term "parochial taxes." The term "parliamentary taxes" extends only to taxes directly imposed by Parliament. If, therefore, the covenant is to pay "every present and every future rate and tax," the time-honoured words, "whether parliamentary or parochial," &c., may be omitted as surplusage, and also as, perhaps, limiting the application of the more general words.

(3.) The terms "rate and tax" will not include tithe rent-charge, but as the word "outgoings" will include it, it is unnecessary to specify tithe rent-charge when the above-mentioned word is employed in the covenant.

(4.) The words "assessments and impositions" are of little, if any, value, for they will not—probably even when accompanied by the words "assessed or imposed upon the landlord"—include the expense occasioned by the performance of a duty imposed by statute on the landlord, or sums payable by a landlord for works done by a local authority on his default in performing his statutory duty. The words "assessments and impositions" should therefore be discarded.

(5.) The word "charges," unless associated with words expressly referring to charges "on the landlord," or "on the demised premises," will not bear a more extensive signification than "assessments and impositions." If associated with the words "on the landlord in respect of the demised premises," it will include every expense, incurred in respect of the premises, for which the landlord is personally liable. If merely associated with the words "on the demised premises," the word "charges" will only extend to such expenses as are "charged on the realty"; which, however, expenses incurred by a local authority under the Public Health Act are. There is no peculiar virtue in the word "charges," and it need not be inserted in the covenant when the words next hereinafter mentioned are used.

(6.) The word "duties," it appears from the older cases, although unaccompanied with the words "imposed on the landlord," will include the expense occasioned by the performance of a duty imposed by statute on the landlord, or sums payable by a landlord for works done by a local authority on his default in performing his statutory duty. The balance of authority is in favour of excluding from the construction of this word, when following words clearly referring to periodical payments—"rates, taxes, and duties"—the *ejusdem generis* doctrine, and of construing the word "duties" as applicable to sums payable once for all, or to acts to be performed. This word has, therefore, a peculiar significance, and should always be used in the covenant.

(7.) The word "outgoings" will be usefully employed in the covenant, to include tithe rent-charge, and to supplement the scope of the word "duties" as regards extraordinary impositions.

(8.) To the words already suggested for use—viz., "Every present and every future rate, tax, outgoing, and duty"—there must be added, "imposed on the said premises or on the owner or occupier in respect thereof." These words would seem to include every kind of impost in respect of the demised premises.

(9.) The exception of the taxes to be ultimately payable by the landlord is generally very inaccurately expressed. The tenant ought to covenant to pay these taxes, which are properly payable by him in



the first instance, and the provision in the covenant should be that he may, after paying them, deduct them from the next payment of rent. We propose, therefore, the following as the words of the so-called exception: "Payments for [land tax and] landlord's property tax nevertheless being deducted from the next payment of the rent hereby reserved." And, by way of making security doubly sure, it may be well to add here, instead of the usual words in the covenant to pay rent, "but no other deduction whatsoever being allowed from the said rent."

The practical result of our suggestions is, therefore, as follows:—The rent should be reserved "without deduction, except as hereinafter mentioned"; the tenant should covenant to pay the rent "without deduction, except as hereinafter mentioned." Then the covenant to pay taxes should be in the following form:—

"AND ALSO will during the said term pay and bear\* every present and every future rate, tax, outgoing, and duty imposed on the said premises, or on the owner or occupier in respect thereof, payments for [land tax and] landlord's property tax nevertheless being deducted from the next payment of the rent hereby reserved, but no other deduction whatsoever being allowed from the said rent."

We shall be glad if any acute reader can suggest an improvement in the above form. It is not put forward as perfect, but it may be said to be the result of a good deal of experience and consideration. We think that it will cover all outgoing, and it has the advantages of being short, and also of drawing the attention of intending tenants and their advisers, much more clearly than the existing form does, to the effect of the burdens which the landlord proposes shall be borne by the tenant.

## LEGISLATION OF THE YEAR.

### PROSECUTION OF OFFENCES.

47 & 48 VICT. c. 58.—AN ACT FOR AMENDING THE PROSECUTION OF OFFENCES ACT, 1879. [August 14, 1884.]

This Act summarily revokes all appointments made under the Act of 1879, and constitutes the Solicitor to the Treasury "Director of Public Prosecutions," with all the powers and duties conferred and imposed upon such Director by the Act of 1879. This is merely substituting one official for another. A far more material provision of the Act is that (section 3) which enacts that "the chief officer of every police district in England shall, from time to time, give to the Director of Public Prosecutions information with respect to indictable offences alleged to have been committed within the district of such chief officer." "Police district" is defined to mean in the country "any place maintaining a separate police force," so that the sources whence information will pour in upon the Treasury Solicitor will be very numerous. The words "shall," from time to time, give information, appear to impose a direct obligation upon the chief officer of police to send in his reports, and we incline to the opinion, though the point is a doubtful one, that this is a duty which could be enforced by *mandamus*. Disobedience of the obligation would be, at any rate, an indictable offence.

### CRIMINAL LUNATICS.

47 & 48 VICT. c. 64.—AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE AND AMEND THE LAW RELATING TO CRIMINAL LUNATICS. [August 14, 1884.]

This Act repeals the whole of the important Act, 27 & 28 Vict. c. 29, whereby prisoners becoming insane after conviction may be visited and examined by medical men, whose report, after private examination, may have the effect of wholly setting aside the verdict of a jury, as well as the Criminal Lunatics Acts, 1867 and 1869 (whereby criminal lunatics may be discharged, either absolutely or conditionally, by warrant of a Secretary of State), and some parts of other Acts bearing upon the subject. Generally speaking, the repealed Acts are re-enacted, with additions rather than amendments, and, in particular, we observe that 3 & 4 Vict. c. 54, and 27 & 28 Vict. c. 29, although scarcely in harmony with the present state of public opinion, are re-enacted without alteration. The principal amendment, properly so called, is the important one effected by section 10, which, repealing and standing in the place of 3 & 4 Vict. c. 54, ss. 2-5, whereby elaborate provisions were made for charging the expenses of the maintenance of a criminal lunatic upon counties or parishes, throws these expenses, in part at least, upon the National Exchequer.

\* See *Budd v. Marshall* (L. R. 5 C. P. D., at p. 492).

The section enacts that "all expenses incurred under this Act in relation to a criminal lunatic while detained in an asylum, and all expenses of removing a person, on his becoming a pauper lunatic, to an asylum for lunatics in any part of the United Kingdom, shall be defrayed out of moneys provided by Parliament." It is enacted by the same section (sub-section 2) that, where a criminal lunatic is discharged before the expiration of his sentence, the Treasury may, from time to time, contribute out of moneys provided by Parliament such sums as they think fit towards the cost of his maintenance until the expiration of his sentence. The Act is, no doubt, intended to relieve the local rates at the expense of the Imperial taxes, in pursuance of a policy which many governments have long promised to pursue.

## CORRESPONDENCE.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.—"X. D."—Next week.

### PAYMENT OF PURCHASE-MONEY TO TRUSTEES.

[To the Editor of the Solicitors' Journal.]

Sir,—Referring to the recent correspondence in your columns, I would point out, with reference to the suggested difficulty as to "ten minutes" accounts, that it may be met by simply placing moneys on a deposit account. Such an account may be opened without difficulty at the Bank of England, the London and Westminster Bank, or other leading banks, and the money may be withdrawn, if necessary, on a week's notice.

It is a leading rule that persons receiving trust moneys ought not to mix them up with their own moneys, and this, of course, applies to solicitors. And it has been usual, in cases within my knowledge, for solicitors receiving trust moneys to place them on a deposit account at their bankers until wanted, thus properly earmarking them; a practice which, before the case of *Re Bellamy*, was found to work without inconvenience.

F. H. BARTLETT.

14, Spring-gardens, S.W., Oct. 14.

### SUGGESTED ADDITIONS TO WILLS AND SETTLEMENTS.

[To the Editor of the Solicitors' Journal.]

Sir,—Having regard to recent decisions, it is desirable that the enclosed clauses or some of them, or somewhat similar clauses, should in future form part of wills and settlements?

COUNTRY SOLICITOR.

Suggested addition to trustees' indemnity clause as given at pp. 492, 632, and 796 of Messrs. Key and Elphinstone's Conveyancing, 2nd ed., vol. 2.

[*Fry v. Tapson*, 28 SOLICITORS' JOURNAL, 718, 723.]

And on lending money on the security of any hereditaments—

- (1) May act on the opinion as to the value of such hereditaments given by any surveyor or valuer, although he may not be practising in the district in which such hereditaments are situate; and
- (2) May leave the selection of such surveyor or valuer [or the surveyor or valuer to be consulted as to the value of such hereditaments] to their or his solicitor; and
- (3) Shall not be bound by any law or rule with respect to the proportion which the sum to be lent on the security of land or buildings should bear to the value of such land or buildings, but shall be free to exercise their or his own discretion as to the sum to be lent.

[*Flower v. Metropolitan Board of Works*, 28 SOLICITORS' JOURNAL, 794.] And any money payable to the trustees hereof for the time being may be paid to any one or more of such trustees on the written authority of his or their co-trustee or co-trustees.

Suggested addition to the power to appoint new trustees given at pp. 490, 631, and 794 of the above work.

[*Allen v. Norris*, 28 SOLICITORS' JOURNAL, 636; *Re Knowles*, 28 SOLICITORS' JOURNAL, 738.]

And it shall be no objection to the appointment of any person as a trustee that he is entitled to, or interested in, the trust premises or any part thereof, or that he is the legal or other adviser of any person so entitled or interested, or that he is related to, or by marriage or business connected with, the person or any of the persons making the appointment, or to or with any other trustee or trustees hereof.

### CORONERS' JURORS.

[To the Editor of the Solicitors' Journal.]

Sir,—I have read with interest the letter which appeared in last week's SOLICITORS' JOURNAL as to the liability of solicitors to serve on coroners' juries.

I see that you quoted section 9 of the Act of 1870 (33 & 34 Vict. c. 77, s. 9), which apparently exempts solicitors from serving on any juries or inquests whatever, but I would refer you to Jervis on Coroners, p. 199, and there you will see that inquests held by the coroner in virtue of his office are expressly excepted from the County Juries Act, 1825, which empowers coroners to take and make all inquests and inquiries by juries of the same description as they have been used and accustomed to do before the passing of that Act. By the Juries Act, 1870 (33 & 34 Vict. c. 77), it is enacted that that Act shall be construed as one with the County Juries Act, 1825, and any Act amending the same, and therefore leaves the law affecting coroners' juries unaltered.

In spite of section 9 of the Act of 1870, it appears to me, therefore, that on account of the exception of inquests from the operation of the County Juries Act, 1825, coroners are empowered to summon juries of the same description as they have been used and accustomed to before the passing of that Act, and this practically amounts to the liability of all persons to serve on coroners' juries.

I shall be glad of opinions or experiences from others of your readers, as it is an important point to all members of our profession.

Bedford-row, October 16.

A. R. V.

[The provision of section 52 of the Act of 1825 is that "nothing herein contained shall extend to any inquest," &c. We have always understood that when an Act is directed to be read with another Act, the meaning is, so far as the new provisions are consistent with those in the former Act. Is the provision of section 9 of the Act of 1870 consistent with section 52 of the Act of 1825?—*Ed. S. J.*]

## CASES OF THE WEEK.

### CASE BEFORE THE VACATION JUDGE.

**CUSTODY OF INFANT—ILLEGITIMATE CHILD—HAMMERS CORPUS—OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON ACT, 1861 (24 & 25 VICT. c. 100).**—In the case of *In re Dellar*, an infant, before Chitty, J., sitting as Vacation Judge, on the 15th inst., an application in the Queen's Bench Division for the issue of a writ of *habeas corpus* was made by the maternal grandparents of an illegitimate child. It appeared that the child's mother died at its birth, and that shortly afterwards the applicants placed it with a Mrs. Powney at a weekly payment. The child was returned to the applicants by Mrs. Powney, but was subsequently claimed by her, and her claim not being acceded to, she captured the child. The applicants thereupon took criminal proceedings, under the Offences Against the Person Act, 1861 (24 & 25 Vict. c. 100), against Mrs. Powney for stealing the child, but the Clerkenwell police magistrate dismissed the matter, on the ground that as the accused asserted a claim, she was within the saving clause of the Act, which excepts from its purview any person making a claim. The applicants thereupon recaptured the child, and being summoned by Mrs. Powney before the Hammersmith police magistrate, the grandmother was committed for trial. The magistrate declining to admit her to bail until the child was given up to Mrs. Powney, the child was ultimately given up to her, and the present proceedings taken against her. It was submitted, on behalf of the applicants, that the mother of an illegitimate child had a right to its custody, and that applications of the kind before the court were governed by equitable rules (*The Queen v. Nash, In re Corey*, L. R. 10 Q. B. D. 454), and that the maternal grandparents of an illegitimate child would be the proper guardians of the child; and that also the child was constructively in the applicants' custody when it was captured by Mrs. Powney, and it had been held that, under such circumstances, where force or stratagem had been resorted to, the court would grant a *habeas corpus* with the view of restoring the parties to their status quo: *E. v. Hopkins* (7 East, 578), *E. v. De Manneville* (5 East, 224). On behalf of Mrs. Powney it was submitted that there was no instance of such a claim being made by means of an application for *habeas corpus* unless the applicant was the natural or properly constituted guardian of the infant, but that the proper course of procedure was by a chancery summons. Chitty, J., said that the question raised as to the right of the grandparents of an illegitimate child to enforce their claims to its custody by *habeas corpus* was an entirely novel one. It was not, however, necessary to determine that question, for it appeared from the evidence that not only was the child, at the date of its capture, in the custody of the applicants, but it also appeared that they had, from the child's very birth, exercised rights of guardianship over its person. It appeared that some money had been paid by the applicants to Mrs. Powney for the child's maintenance, and it might safely be inferred that the child had been intrusted by them to the care of Mrs. Powney. His lordship, therefore, was of opinion that the applicants were entitled to the interposition of the court. It was true that the two police magistrates had taken different views, but the course taken by the magistrate of committing the grandmother for trial was no doubt taken with the view of raising the whole question. His lordship thought that such an object could be better attained by a civil than a criminal proceeding, as in the latter case the evidence of the applicants could not be received, whereas in the former the parties complained of could tell their own stories. He was not, therefore, disposed to postpone giving a decision until after the trial, but would at once accede to the application and grant a rule absolute for a writ of *habeas corpus*.—*COUNSEL, MacMorran; Loverson. SOLICITORS, Jennings & Forbes; C. B. Claydon.*

## COUNTY COURTS.

### CANTERBURY.

(Before Judge SELWY.)

Oct. 14.—*Re W. Hogben.*

The official receiver (Mr. Leslie Croery, Ashford) applied for an order against Messrs. Hobbs, auctioneers, of Guinea Hall, Sellinger, directing them to pay over for the benefit of the estate £202, the proceeds of a sale by auction of the effects of William Hogben, a bankrupt. The allegation was that Messrs. Hobbs conducted this sale notwithstanding that they had issued a circular, by the direction of Hogben, calling a meeting of creditors, and requesting those unable to be present to send their accounts, together with an expression of their willingness to accept the dividend to be then offered. The dividend was accepted by all except the petitioning creditor, and it was contended that the circular constituted an act of bankruptcy. In defence the case of *Es parte Oastler, In re Friedlander* (ante, p. 654, L. R. 13 Q. B. D. 471) was cited.

His Honour said the point was one of great importance, but having regard to the decision cited he must declare the application to have failed, leaving it to the official receiver to appeal if he thought fit.

[See observations on *Es parte Oastler*, ante, p. 668.]

## LEGAL APPOINTMENTS.

Mr. WILLIAM RUSTON, solicitor (of the firm of Ruston & Clark), of 29, Essex-street, and of Brentford, Hounslow, Twickenham, and Ealing, has been appointed Registrar of the Brentford County Court (Circuit No. 43), in succession to his father, the late Mr. William Ruston, sen. Mr. Ruston is clerk to the Ealing Local Board. He was admitted a solicitor in 1870.

Mr. JAMES BERRIMAN TIPPETTS, solicitor, of 11, Maiden-lane, College-hill, has been appointed Clerk to the Glaziers' Company, in succession to Mr. Charles Henry Lovell, deceased. Mr. Tippetts is vestry clerk of the parishes of St. Thomas Apostolic and St. Benet Sherehog. He was admitted a solicitor in 1847, and he is in partnership with his son, Mr. William James Berriman Tippetts.

Mr. JOHN BENDOW HERBERT, solicitor, of Birmingham, has been appointed a Commissioner to administer Oaths in the Supreme Court of Judicature.

Mr. OWEN LEWIS EDWARDS, solicitor, of Pwllheli, has been appointed Clerk to the Pwllheli School Board. Mr. Edwards was admitted a solicitor in 1883.

Mr. GEORGE CHARLES CHERRY, barrister, has been elected Chairman of the Berkshire Quarter Sessions. Mr. Cherry is the son of Mr. George Henry Cherry, of Denton, Berkshire, and was born in 1832. He was educated at Christ Church, Oxford, where he graduated second class in classics in 1854, and he was called to the bar at the Inner Temple in Easter Term, 1848. He has been for several years deputy-chairman of quarter sessions for Berkshire.

Mr. WILLIAM GEORGE MOUNT, barrister, has been elected Deputy-Chairman of the Berkshire Quarter Sessions. Mr. Mount is a graduate of Balliol College, Oxford. He was called to the bar at the Inner Temple in Easter Term, 1849.

## DISSOLUTIONS OF PARTNERSHIPS.

EDWARD LODGE and FREDERICK RHODES, solicitors, Leeds, October 5. The said Frederick Rhodes will continue to practise at No. 8, Park-row, Leeds, on his own account. [*Gazette*, Oct. 10.]

JOHN PARSONS HARRIS and WILLIAM FREDERICK GORST (J. F. HARRIS & GORST), solicitors, Stephenson-chambers, No. 25, Lord-street, Liverpool. October 1.

WILLIAM FRANCIS HOLCROFT and HUGH LANCELOT MACHELL (Holcroft & Machell), solicitors, Sevenoaks. September 30. [*Gazette*, Oct. 14.]

## LEGAL NEWS.

There will be no jury actions taken on the first day of the ensuing Michaelmas Sittings, but some courts to try common jury causes will probably sit on Saturday, the 25th inst. The hearing of special jury actions will not be proceeded with until about the 14th or 15th of November.

The new library—or, more correctly speaking, extension of the old library—of Gray's Inn, begun in March last, is now complete, and will, in the course of a few days, receive the 11,000 volumes which for some time past have been stored in adjacent chambers, owing to the old library being already filled. The building, which has been erected from designs by Messrs. Isaacs & Florence, fills up the plot of land between the "hall" and the Gray's Inn-road. The structure comprises an entrance-hall, vestibule, and staircase from South-square, with a number of chambers for the use of members of the Inn. The first floor consists of a corridor, opening on to the old library leading into the new room, a handsome apartment, 26 feet long by 22 feet broad. The walls are divided into nine bays, filled with exceedingly handsome oak presses, over which an iron gallery is carried round three sides of the room. The new library is



lighted by well-designed coloured windows running along the east and north side. A prominent feature of the decoration is the ceiling, which is handsomely panelled and joined to the walls, with a cove having a radius of six feet. The Gray's-inn-road front of the new structure is red brick, that in South-square being of stone. The works have been carried on under the direct superintendence of Messrs. J. A. Russell, master of the library, and W. R. Douthwaite, the librarian.

At Marlborough-street Police Court, on Wednesday, Messrs. Andrew and George Taylor, photographers, of 153, Regent-street, were summoned by William Turner, 140, Kennington-lane, for unlawfully, and without the authority of her Majesty, using the Royal arms, or arms resembling them, so as to be calculated to deceive persons. Evidence having been given by Turner, Mr. Newton said he understood that since the adjournment of the case the Royal arms had been removed. Mr. Wontner said that was so. Messrs. Taylor were not aware that they had no right to use the Royal arms. He could show that Messrs. Taylor had photographed the Queen and members of the Royal family, and the servants of the Royal household, and they believed they had authority for using the Royal arms. He had had the opinion of the Solicitor-General, who said that he did not consider the Act in question applied to a case like the one before the court. Messrs. Taylor, acting under his advice, had removed the coat of arms. They thought, in the circumstances, they had authority to say they were photographers to the Queen. Had the proceedings been instituted from the Lord Chamberlain's office he would have cried *procuri*, but as no gentleman from the Lord Chamberlain's office was in attendance, and the prosecution was not instituted by a public authority, but by a person not in the public interest for the sake of gaining half the amount of any penalty which might be imposed, he had to ask that the summons might be dismissed. Mr. Newton said as the arms were removed he should order the defendants to pay 1s., and 2s. costs.

## COURT PAPERS.

### SUPREME COURT OF JUDICATURE.

#### ROTA OF REGISTRARS IN ATTENDANCE ON

Date.	COURT OF APPEAL.	V. C. BACON.	Mr. Justice KAY.
Friday, Oct. .... 24	Mr. Ward	Mr. Carrington	Mr. Farrer
Saturday ..... 25	Pemberton	Jackson	Teesdale
	Mr. Justice CHITTY.	Mr. Justice NORTH.	Mr. Justice PEARSON.
Friday, Oct. .... 24	Mr. Clowes	Mr. Lavey	Mr. Merivale
Saturday ..... 25	Koe	Pugh	King

### THE AUTUMN ASSIZES.

Days and places appointed for holding the autumn assizes:—

Northern Circuit.—Assize County No. 1.—Monday, Oct. 27, at Carlisle. Assize County No. 2.—Friday, Oct. 31, at Manchester. West Derby Division of Lancashire.—Thursday, Nov. 13, at Liverpool.

North-Eastern Circuit.—Assize County No. 19.—Friday, Oct. 24, at the Moot-hall, Newcastle-upon-Tyne. County of Durham.—Tuesday, Oct. 28, at the Courts, Durham. Assize County No. 3.—Tuesday, Nov. 4, at York Castle. County of the City of York.—Tuesday, Nov. 4, at the Guildhall, York.

Midland Circuit.—Assize County No. 4.—Thursday, Nov. 6, at Nottingham. County of the Town of Nottingham.—Thursday, Nov. 6, at the Town of Nottingham. Assize County No. 5.—Friday, Oct. 31, at the Castle of Leicester. Borough of Leicester.—Friday, Oct. 31, at the Borough of Leicester. Assize County No. 6.—Monday, Oct. 27, at Bedford. County of Warwick.—Wednesday, Nov. 12, at Warwick.

South-Eastern Circuit.—Assize County No. 7.—Saturday, Nov. 8, at the Castle of Norwich. County of the City of Norwich.—Saturday, Nov. 8, at the Guildhall, Norwich. Assize County No. 8.—Wednesday, Nov. 5, at the Shire-hall, Chesham. Assize County No. 9.—Friday, Oct. 31, at Chelmsford. Assize County No. 10.—Saturday, Oct. 25, at Maidstone.

Oxford Circuit.—Assize County No. 11.—Saturday, Oct. 25, at Oxford. Assize County No. 12.—Wednesday, Oct. 29, at Gloucester. County of the City of Gloucester.—Wednesday, Oct. 29, at the City of Gloucester. Assize County No. 13.—Wednesday, Nov. 5, at Stafford.

Western Circuit.—Assize County No. 14.—Saturday, Nov. 8, at the Castle at Winchester. Assize County No. 15.—Saturday, Nov. 1 at the Castle at Exeter. County of the City of Exeter.—Saturday, Nov. 1, at the Guildhall, Exeter. Assize County, No. 16.—Monday, Oct. 27, at the Guildhall, Bristol.

North Wales Division.—Assize County No. 17.—Saturday, Oct. 25, at Chester Castle.

South Wales Division.—Assize County No. 18.—Friday, Oct. 31 at Swansea.

## COMPANIES.

### WINDING-UP NOTICES.

#### JOINT STOCK COMPANIES.

#### LIMITED IN CHANCERY.

CHILE GOLD MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.—Petition for winding up, presented Oct 8, directed to be heard before Kay, J., on Saturday, Oct 25, Ashurst and Co, Old Jewry, solicitors for the petitioner

NORTHUMBERLAND AVENUE HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.—Petition for winding up, presented Oct 8, directed to be heard before Chitty, J., on Oct 25. Kingsford and Co, Essex st, Strand, agents for Furley, Canterbury, solicitor for the petitioner

[Gazette, Oct. 10.]

BRITISH SPIRAL TELEPHONE WIRE SYNDICATE, LIMITED.—Petition for winding up, presented Oct 9, directed to be heard before Chitty, J., on Oct. 25. Thomas, Cannon st, solicitor for the petitioner

HAMPTON COURT STEAM LAUNDRY COMPANY, LIMITED.—Petition for winding up, presented Oct 8, directed to be heard before Chitty, J., on Oct 25. Thomson and Ward, Bedford row, solicitors for the petitioners

PATENT MEDICINES PROPRIETARY, LIMITED.—The Judge in Vacation has by an order, dated Sept 19, appointed Edward Llewellyn Ernest to be official liquidator

S. GREEN AND CO, LIMITED.—Petition for winding up, presented Oct 7, directed to be heard before Bacon, V.C., on Saturday, Oct 25. Burn and Co, Berridge, Finsbury lane, agents for Ramsden and Co, Ruddersfield, solicitors for the petitioner

[Gazette, Oct. 14.]

### COUNTY PALATINE OF LANCASTER.

#### LIMITED IN CHANCERY.

NOISELESS TYRE COMPANY, LIMITED.—The Vice-Chancellor has fixed Friday, Oct 24, at 12, at 2, Clarence st, Manchester, for the appointment of a liquidator

STEAMSHIP "ADELINE SCHULL" COMPANY, LIMITED.—Petition for winding up, presented Oct 10, directed to be heard before the Vice-Chancellor at the Assize Courts, Manchester, on Tuesday, Oct 22. Danger, Liverpool, solicitor for the petitioner

[Gazette, Oct. 14.]

### FRIENDLY SOCIETIES DISSOLVED.

ABERDEEN FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Britannia Inn, Aberdeen, Merioneth. Oct 9

FRIENDLY SOCIETY, Rose and Crown Inn, St Albans, Hertford. Oct 6

[Gazette, Oct. 10.]

## CREDITORS' CLAIMS.

### CREDITORS UNDER 22 & 23 VICT. CAP. 35. LAST DAY OF CLAIM.

ANDREWS, JAMES, Judd st, Brunswick sq, Gent. Nov 3. Remnant and Co, Lincoln's inn fields  
ASHWORTH, JOHN DAWSON, Manchester, Engineer. Nov 3. Boote and Edgar, Manchester  
ATKINSON, RICHARD, Richmond, York, Esq. Oct 29. Waistell, Northallerton  
BAILEY, HANNAH, Portsea, Southampton. Nov 8. Blake and Co, Portsea  
BARRETT, THOMAS SIMON, Colchester, Essex, Hardwareman. Nov 29. Wittey, Colchester  
BOWYER, JOSEPH TUCKER, Crewkerne, Somerset, Veterinary Surgeon. Nov 1. Alford, Crewkerne  
BUCKMASTER, MARIA AMY, Devizes, Wilts. Nov 2. Nisbet and Daw, Lincoln's inn fields  
BURRELL, HENRY, Kildimo, Limerick. Dec 15. Farrer and Co, Lincoln's inn fields  
EWENS, HENRY, Greatham, Southampton, Innkeeper. Nov 10. Albery and Lucas, Midhurst  
FAITHFULL, MARY OLIVE, Mount st, Grosvenor sq. Nov 17. Howard, Gray's inn sq  
FLETCHER, JOHN, Chaddle, Chester, Gent. Nov 22. Farrar and Hall, Manchester  
GREENWOOD, FREDERICK ALEXANDER, Bradford, York, Gent. Nov 1. Robinson and Gordon, Bradford  
HAMMONS, WILLIAM, Brightmet, Lancaster, Cotton Spinner. Dec 24. Radford and Co, Manchester  
HAYNES, JANE, Huddleston rd, Tutnell park. Nov 22. Cooper and Bake, Portman st, Portman sq  
HINE, THOMAS, Maidenhead, Butcher. Nov 1. Poyser, Great James st, Bedford row  
HOBSON, REV ALFRED, Bath. Nov 11. Gibbs, Bath  
JOHNSON, AUGUSTUS, Asylum for Lunatics, Banstead, Surrey. Nov 1. Hanbury and Co, New Broad st  
KNIGHT, JOHN, Southsea, Gent. Nov 8. Blake and Co, Portsea  
LECHE, ELIZABETH ANTONIA, Clifton, Somerset. Nov 18. Barker and Co, Chester  
LUCAS, HANNAH, Hartgate, York. Nov 8. Davidson and Morris, Queen Victoria st  
MILLER, STEPHEN, Queen Victoria st. Nov 10. Brooks, Old Jewry  
OSBORNE, MARY, Alvaston, Derby. Oct 20. Cooper and Abney, Derby  
REED, HENRY, Portsea, Southampton, Solicitor. Nov 8. Blake and Co, Portsea  
SMITH, SIDNEY ROBERTS, Auckland rd, Upper Norwood, Gent. Nov 1. Avory, Sessions House, Old Bailey  
TATHAM, JOSEPH, Carleton, York, Farmer. Nov 29. Brown and Blashfield, Skipton  
WALTON, GEORGE, Clarence rd, Hackney, Upholsterer. Oct 31. Taylor, South st  
WATTS, GEORGE, Plumstead, Secretary of a Public Company. Nov 11. Whale, Woolwich  
WITHERS, GEORGE, Mansfield, Nottingham, Retired Farmer, Nov 30. Alcock, Mansfield

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ANDREW, CATHERINE, Norton, Derby. Nov 8. Swift and Ashington, Sheffield  
AYERS, MARY, East India rd, Bromley, Licensed Victualler. Nov 30. Paines and Co, Grosvenor house, Old Broad st  
BLANCHARD, JOHN WILLIAM, Kingston upon Hall, Gent. Nov 29. Swift and Ashington, Sheffield  
BIRD, THOMAS, Leicester, Provision Dealer. Jan 1. Harvey, Leicester  
CARTWRIGHT, CHARLES HENRY, Latchford, nr Warrington, Chester. Dec 1. Whitley and Co, Liverpool  
CHIRIF, ELEANOR, Haughton le Skerne, Durham. Nov 3. Stevenson, Darlington  
CLARE, WILLIAM, Newcastle upon Tyne, Ironfounder. Dec 1. Armstrong and Sons, Newcastle on Tyne  
DU PRE, GERTRUDE, Kilburn. Nov 15. Godden and Co, Old Jewry  
GILKES, THOMAS, Hook Norton, Oxford, out of business. Nov 24. Kilby and Mace, Chipping Norton  
HARVEY, ELIZA, Pembroke rd, Essex. Nov 12. Houghtons and Byfield, Gracechurch st  
HIXON, SARAH, Enfield Highway. Dec 6. Blewitt and Tyler, Gracechurch bldgs  
HORDER, JOHN, Yate, Gloucester, Innkeeper. Dec 1. Trenchard, Chipping Sodbury  
HOVENDEN, FRANCIS PARNELL, Ferry-side, Carmarthen, Esq. Jan 1. Inman and Adam, Bath  
ISAAC, DEBORAH, Cornwall rd, Notting Hill. Nov 1. Lee, Graham bldgs, Islington st

JOHNSON, Rev JOSEPH HOLDEN, Tilthead, Wilts, Clerk in Holy Orders. Dec 1.  
 Hulbert, Great Cheverell  
 LILES, CHARLES, Maids Vale, Wholesale Provision Merchant. Dec 1. Fraser,  
 Soho sq  
 MAPLEY, WILLIAM, Little Bell alley, Carpenter. Nov 1. Furber, Gray's inn sq  
 MASON, THOMAS, Fallowfield, nr Manchester. Dec 15. Minor, Manchester  
 MATTHEWS, WILLIAM, Berkeley, Gloucester, Retired Pilot. Nov 22. Fry and  
 Co, Bristol  
 MORRIS, JAMES, Oswestry, Salop, Agent. Dec 1. Minshalls and Parry-Jones,  
 Oswestry  
 PEARL, Rt Hon Sir LAWRENCE, Knight, Ventnor, Isle of Wight. Nov 12. Iliffes  
 and Cardale, Bedford row  
 ROBSON, MATTHEW WILKINSON, Sunderland, Agent. Nov 1. Arnott and Swan,  
 Newcastle on Tyne  
 SAVILE, ISAAC, Halifax, Innkeeper. Nov 1. Stansfeld, Halifax  
 SOULEY, EDWARD, Liverpool, General Broker. Nov 8. Grace and Co, Liverpool  
 SUGDEN, WILLIAM, Brighouse, York. Nov 1. Wavell and Co, Halifax  
 THOMSON, SIMON, Belmont Pen, Trelawney, Jamaica, Planter. Nov 15. Morse,  
 Lime st sq  
 WATSON, INGHAM, Farnborough, Southampton, Fish Salecman. Oct 31. Eve,  
 Aldershot  
 WOOD, JOSEPH, Castleton, Rochdale, Lancaster, Innkeeper. Nov 15. Standing  
 and Taylor, Rochdale  
 WOODHOUSE, HENRY, Kingsland rd, Stone and Marble Mason. Nov 10. Hickin  
 and Graham, Serjeant's inn, Fleet st

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ATKINSON, GEORGE THOMPSON, Crosby Ravensworth, Westmorland, Assistant  
 Master. Nov 8. Bell, Appleby  
 BEVAN, EDWARD, Bristol, Master Mariner. Nov 11. Benson and Carpenter,  
 Bristol  
 BRIANT, CHARLES THOMAS, Grosvenor rd, Highbury New pk, Gent. Nov 15.  
 Layton and Co, Budge row  
 BROMLEY, MASSEY, Esq, M.A., York st, Portman sq, Locomotive Superintendent.  
 Nov 14. Sykes, Old Broad st  
 COOPER, EDMUND, Isle of Wight, Draper. Nov 30. Paines and Co, Gresham  
 house, Old Broad st  
 COXWELL, CHARLES DUNCAN, Southampton, Commander Union Steamship Com-  
 pany. Dec 12. Coxwell, Southampton  
 DRUMMOND, WILLIAM, Croydon, Surrey, Solicitor. Dec 31. Drummonds and  
 Co, Croydon  
 FLINT, MARIAN, Croydon, Surrey. Dec 15. Drummonds and Co, Croydon  
 FORRES, GEORGE, Upper Park rd, Turnham Green. Nov 14. Merriman and  
 White, King's Bench Walk, Inner Temple  
 GAYLEARD, LOUISA, Caledonian rd, Holloway. Dec 5. Hilbery, Billiter st  
 GREEN, HENRY CROSS, Upper Norwood, Surrey, Gent. Nov 14. Greenbank,  
 Serjeants' inn, Fleet st  
 GREGG, JAMES, Sloane sq, Chelsea, Cutler. Nov 14. Fleming, Trinity sq, South-  
 wark  
 HILL, MARY ELIZABETH DE FERRE, Churchyard, Hackney. Nov 10. Van Sandau  
 and Co, King st, Chesham  
 KNELL, GEORGE WILLIAM, Bristol, Grocer. Nov 29. Plummer and Parry, Bristol  
 LEISHMAN, JOHN BLACK, Abchurch lane, Esq. Nov 13. Murray and Co, Birchin  
 lane  
 MARTIN, ANN, Clapham rd, Surrey. Nov 21. Fraser, Furnival's inn  
 MILLS, HENRY, Hastings, Builder. Nov 12. Holder, Chesham  
 NEWTON, CATHERINE, Holford, Long Preston, nr Leeds, Housekeeper.  
 Oct 30. Bohm, Old Jewry  
 OAKLEY, RICHARD RAYNSHILL, Richmond, Surrey, Esq. Nov 30. Richardson  
 and Sadler, Golden sq, W  
 OSKING, JOHN, Nottingham, Lace Dresser. Dec 1. Richards, Nottingham  
 PATTERSON, WILLIAM JAMES, Southampton, Esq. Dec 1. Robins and Son,  
 Southampton  
 POCOCK, THOMAS ELGAR, Kingsland rd, Baker. Oct 25. Carter and Bell, Idol lane  
 RICHARDSON, MARK, Chapeltown, nr Leeds, Yeoman. Dec 1. Rooke and  
 Midgley, Leeds  
 ROOME, JOSIAH, Hextable, Kent, Builder. Nov 11. Ellis and Co, St Swithin's lane  
 SHAW, FREDERICK WILLIAM, Penrith, Cumberland, Gent. Nov 29. Taylor, Bolton  
 STOTZ, JOHN FREDERICK AUGUSTUS CHARLES, Aldersgate st, Retired Merchant.  
 Nov 15. Goldberg and Langdon, West st, Finsbury circus  
 STEWARDSON, JOHN, Finchley pk, North Finchley, Gent. Dec 25. Houghtons  
 and Byfield, Gracechurch st  
 WALKER, ROBERT FREDERICK, Muscovy ct, Trinity sq, Corn Merchant. Jan 1.  
 Wootton and Son, Finsbury circus  
 WICKHAM, HENRIETTA MAUD, Aberdovey, Merionethshire. Nov 12. Budd and  
 Co, Bedford row  
 WIMPOY, CHARLES, Gresham st, Umbrella Manufacturer. Dec 31. Ashley and  
 Co, Frederick's pl, Old Jewry  
 WRIGHT, WILLIAM, South Shields, Dock Manager. Nov 14. Wawn, South  
 Shields

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## SALES OF ENSUING WEEK.

October 21.—Messrs. DERENHAM, TEWSON, FARMER, & BRIDGEWATER, at the  
 Mart, at 2 p.m., Freehold and Leasehold Properties (see advertisement, October  
 4, p. 4).  
 October 21.—Messrs. DRIVER & Co., at Hexham, at 1 for 2 p.m. (see advertise-  
 ment, this week, p. 4).  
 October 21.—Messrs. WALTON & LEE, at Manchester, at 4 p.m., Freehold Prop-  
 erty and Lands (see advertisement, October 11, p. 4).  
 October 23.—Messrs. BEAN, BURNETT, & ELDRIDGE, at the Mart, Leasehold Prop-  
 erty (see advertisement, this week, p. 4).

## BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, AND DEATHS.

## DEATHS.

COX.—October 10, at Belgrave Villa, Bellevue-road, Upper Tooting, John Charles  
 Cox, solicitor, of 24, Lincoln's-inn-fields, aged 48.  
 KING.—October 13, at 122, Mount-street, Grosvenor-square, John Danie King,  
 barrister-at-law, ex-registrar of the Exchequer Court of Bankruptcy, of Mont-  
 gomery House, Bournemouth, aged 64.  
 PORTER.—On or about August 25, at Sydney, N.S.W., Joshua Charles Porter, of  
 Kaiapoi, Canterbury, New Zealand, solicitor, and a resident magistrate in that  
 colony, aged 61.

## LONDON GAZETTES.

## BANKRUPTS.

Under the Bankruptcy Act, 1869.

FRIDAY, Oct. 10, 1884.

Wilson, George, Adelaide pl, London Bridge, Engineer. Pet Jan 10. Pepys.  
 Oct 30 at 12

## BANKRUPTCIES ANNULLED.

Harrison, Wordsworth, Ulverston, Lancaster, Esq. Sept 23

## THE BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1838.

FRIDAY, Oct. 10, 1884.

## RECEIVING ORDERS.

Blunden, Lucy, Brighton, Cowkeeper. Brighton. Pet Oct 4. Ord Oct 6. Exam

Oct 30 at 12

Caswell, Frederick, Portrack, nr Stockton, Licensed Victualler. Stockton on

Tees and Middlesborough. Pet Oct 8. Ord Oct 8. Exam Oct 24

Chastney, Mary Ellen, Blackburn, Lancashire, Picture Framar. Blackburn. Pet

Oct 7. Ord Oct 8. Exam Oct 28 at 11

Chirm, John Richard, Birmingham, Auctioneer. Birmingham. Pet Oct 7. Ord

Oct 7. Exam Nov 4

Craik, Robert, Barrow in Furness, Draper. Ulverston and Barrow in Furness.

Pet Oct 7. Ord Oct 7. Exam Oct 22 at 2.30

Dale, James William, Leeds, Hosier. Leeds. Pet Oct 8. Ord Oct 8. Exam Oct

21 at 11

Drury, William, Scarborough, Clothier. Scarborough. Pet Oct 6. Ord Oct 8.

Exam Oct 21 at 12

Exton, Archer, Gloucester, Innkeeper. Gloucester. Pet Oct 6. Ord Oct 7.

Exam Nov 4

Faber, Gustave, Jermyn st, Licensed Victualler. High Court. Pet Oct 7. Ord

Oct 7. Exam Nov 14 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields

Freemantle, John Alfred, Bursledon, Hampshire, Market Gardener. Southamp-

ton. Pet Oct 6. Ord Oct 6. Exam Oct 18 at 11

Hart, Thomas William, Brighton, Provision Merchant. Brighton. Pet Oct 3.

Ord Oct 7. Exam Oct 30 at 12

Hartnoll, Charles John, Narrow st, Limehouse, Barge Builder. High Court. Pet

July 22. Ord Oct 6. Exam Nov 14 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields

Jones, Hugh Ellis, Swansea, Chemist. Swansea. Pet Oct 6. Ord Oct 7. Exam

Nov 13

Jones, John Charles, Ryde, I.W., Fruiterer. Newport and Ryde. Pet Oct 6.

Ord Oct 6. Exam Nov 5

Matthews, William Galloway, Lambert hill, Queen Victoria st, Paper Dealer.

High Court. Pet Sept 12. Ord Oct 7. Exam Nov 13 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn

fields

Patten, Herbert, High st, Sydenham, Provision Dealer. High Court. Pet Oct

2. Ord Oct 6. Exam Nov 13 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields

Rees, Hannah, Swansea, Widow. Swansea. Pet Sept 19. Ord Oct 6. Exam

Nov 13

Reeve, John, Sheffield, Draper. Sheffield. Pet Sept 4. Ord Oct 2. Exam Oct

30 at 11.30

Robertson, Thomas Boswell, Cardiff, Commission Agent. Bristol. Pet Oct 8.

Ord Oct 31. Exam Oct 31

Robinson, Peelo, Saxby, Lincolnshire, Farmer. Lincoln. Pet Sept 30. Ord Oct

6. Exam Nov 10 at 2.30

Rowberry, John, Abergwilly, Licensed Victualler. Carmarthen. Pet Oct 8.

Ord Oct 8. Exam Nov 18

Scott, Thomas, and John Wesley Scott, Penrith, Drapers. Carlisle. Pet Oct 6.

Ord Oct 6. Exam Oct 20 at 11 at Court-house

Summers, William, Newport, Monmouthshire, Pork Butcher. Newport. Pet

Oct 4. Ord Oct 7. Exam Oct 20 at 11

Thompson, John, Hulme, Manchester, Baker. Salford. Pet Oct 3. Ord Oct 7.

Exam Oct 22 at 11

Treble, George, Whitmore rd, Hoxton, Shop Fitter. High Court. Pet Oct 8.

Ord Oct 8. Exam Nov 18 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields

Webber, Thomas, Gloucester, Grocer. Gloucester. Pet Oct 7. Ord Oct 7.

Exam Nov 4

Woods, Richard Horsley, King's rd, Chelsea, Stationer. High Court. Pet Oct

8. Ord Oct 3. Exam Nov 18 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields

Zuccani, Luigi, Theobald's rd, Gray's inn, Gent. High Court. Pet July 18. Ord

Oct 6. Exam Nov 18 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields

The following amended notice is substituted for that published in the London

Gazette of the 7th of October, 1884.

Caverley, Robert Bruce, The Trocadero Eden Theatre of Varieties, Windmill st,

Haymarket. Proprietor. High Court. Order made under section 108. Ord

Oct 2. Exam Nov 19 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields

## FIRST MEETINGS.

Benning, Albert Frederick, Lincoln's inn fields, Solicitor. Oct 21 at 11. 33, Carey

st, Lincoln's inn

Blunden, Lucy, Brighton, Market Gardener. Oct 30 at 11. Official Receiver,

Brighton

Braithwaite, Benjamin, Bridlington, Yorkshire, Cabinet Maker. Oct 17 at 11.30.

Official Receiver, Newborough st, Scarborough

Chirm, John Richard, Birmingham, Auctioneer. Oct 22 at 11. Official Receiver,

Birmingham

Drury, William, Scarborough, Clothier. Oct 20 at 2. The Queen Hotel, Leeds

Fenton, Richard, Kingsland rd, Kingsland, Music Seller. Oct 21 at 11. 33, Carey

st, Lincoln's inn

Freemantle, John Alfred, Bursledon, Hants, Market Gardener. Oct 19 at 12.30.

Official Receiver, 4, East st, Southampton

Hands, Isaac, Gt Grimsby, Waiter. Oct 17 at 11. Hall of Hull Incorporated Law

Society

Hart, Thomas Williams, Brighton, Provision Merchant. Oct 20 at 2.30. Official

Receiver, Brighton

Jones, Hugh Ellis, Swansea, Chemist. Oct 21 at 2. Official Receiver, 6, Rutland

st, Swansea

Jones, John Charles, Ryde, I.W., Beer Retailer. Oct 20 at 3. Crown Hotel, High

st, Southampton

Lee, Francis John, Camborne, Cornwall, Accountant. Oct 17 at 12. Official Re-

ceiver, Boscawen st, Truro

Rees, Hannah, Swansea, Widow. Oct 21 at 12. Official Receiver, 6, Rutland st,

Swansea

Robinson, Peelo, Saxby, Lincolnshire, Farmer. Nov 10 at 12. Central Sale Room,

Bank st, Lincoln

Scott, Thomas, and John Wesley Scott, Penrith, Drapers. Oct 20 at 12. 34,

Fisher st, Carlisle

Summers, William, Newport, Mon., Pork Butcher. Oct 20 at 12. Official Re-

ceiver, Bridge st, Newport

Thomas, James, Aberavon, Boot Manufacturer. Oct 18 at 12. Castle Hotel,

Neath

Wyllie, David, Raleigh Club, 15, Regent st. Oct 20 at 11. 33, Carey st, Lincoln's

inn

## ADJUDICATIONS.

Bell, William, Bampton, Cumberland, Innkeeper. Carlisle. Pet Sept 30. Ord

Oct 6



Blunden, Lucy, Brighton, Market Gardener. Brighton. Pet Oct 4. Ord Oct 8.  
 Boston, Francis Arnold, Hanley, Staffordshire, Bootmaker. Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall. Pet Sept 10. Ord Oct 6.  
 Braithwaite, Benjamin, Bridlington, Yorkshire, Cabinet Maker. Scarborough. Pet Oct 4. Ord Oct 8.  
 Bratt, James, Rock Ferry, Cheshire, Builder. Birkenhead. Pet Sept 11. Ord Oct 3.  
 Dangerfield, Henry John, Windsor, Ironmonger. Windsor. Pet Oct 3. Ord Oct 8.  
 Davison, Thomas, South Shields, Contractor. Newcastle on Tyne. Pet Sept 12. Ord Oct 8.  
 Faber, Gustave, Jermyn st, St James's, Licensed Victualler. High Court. Pet Oct 7. Ord Oct 7.  
 Fox, Walter, Sheffield, Butcher. Sheffield. Pet Sept 19. Ord Oct 6.  
 Gardner, John Oswald, Fenchurch st, Engineer. High Court. Pet Sept 9. Ord Oct 6.  
 Harris, Henry, Salford, Lancashire, Wholesale Clothier. Salford. Pet Sept 18. Ord Oct 8.  
 Hawkes, Thomas, Southampton, Optician. Southampton. Pet Sept 22. Ord Oct 7.  
 Jones, Hugh Ellis, Swansea, Glamorganshire, Chemist. Swansea. Pet Oct 6. Ord Oct 7.  
 Jones, James Albert, Wingate rd, Shepherd's Bush, Coal Merchant. High Court. Pet Aug 21. Ord Oct 8.  
 Jones, John Owen, Garn, Dolbenmaen, Carvarvonshire, Draper. Bangor. Pet Oct 1. Ord Oct 1.  
 Merry, Robert, Great Queen st, Lincoln's inn fields, Licensed Victualler. High Court. Pet Sept 10. Ord Oct 6.  
 Punfield, Frederick, Redland, Bristol, Accountant. Bristol. Pet Sept 9. Ord Oct 8.  
 Roberts, Robert Ellis, Glangymorfyd, Tremadoc, Carnarvonshire, Grocer. Bangor. Pet Sept 15. Ord Oct 8.  
 Robinson, Peele, Saxby, Lincolnshire, Farmer. Lincoln. Pet Sept 30. Ord Oct 8.  
 Shepherd, William Henry, Chiswell st, Finsbury sq, Oilman. High Court. Pet Sept 13. Ord Oct 6.  
 Sturges, George, Longsight, nr Manchester, Confectioner. Manchester. Pet Sept 15. Ord Oct 8.  
 Sullivan, William, Columbia rd, Hackney rd, Boot Manufacturer. High Court. Pet Aug 11. Ord Oct 6.  
 Thompson, John, Hulme, Manchester, Baker. Salford. Pet Oct 3. Ord Oct 8.  
 Towle, Robert Foster, Long Eaton, Derbyshire, Lace Manufacturer. Nottingham. Pet Sept 30. Ord Oct 4.  
 Tomlinson, Jane, Church, Lancashire, Builder. Blackburn. Pet Oct 2. Ord Oct 7.  
 Turnock, James, Walsall, Staffordshire, Brewer. Walsall. Pet Sept 16. Ord Oct 8.  
 Wilson, William, Gresham st, Silk Merchant. High Court. Pet Aug 21. Ord Oct 8.

TUESDAY, Oct. 14, 1884.

RECEIVING ORDERS.

Barnard, John, Fann st, Goswell rd, Waterproof Manufacturer. High Court. Pet Sept 24. Ord Oct 10. Exam Nov 19 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields.  
 Beer, John, Sheephead, Leicestershire, Hosiery Manufacturer. Leicester. Pet Oct 8. Ord Oct 8. Exam Nov 5 at 10.  
 Bell, William, Barnsley, Greengrocer. Barnsley. Pet Oct 8. Ord Oct 9. Exam Nov 13 at 11.30.  
 Bennett, William, South Weald, Essex, Baker. Chelmsford. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10. Exam Nov 10.  
 Bevan, Edward, Birkenhead, Jeweller. Birkenhead. Pet Oct 8. Ord Oct 8. Exam Oct 22.  
 Bottomley, Charlotte Graham, Liverpool, Lancashire, Draper. Liverpool. Pet Oct 3. Ord Oct 9. Exam Oct 30 at 11.  
 Brenner, George William, Rotherhithe, Surrey, Chemical Manufacturer. High Court. Pet Aug 13. Ord Oct 9. Exam Nov 19 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields.  
 Brown, Robert Felix, Newcote under Lyme, Staffordshire, Draper. Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall. Pet Oct 11. Ord Oct 11. Exam Oct 31 at 11 at Townhall, Hanley.  
 Butter, George, Sidmouth, Devonshire, Pork Butcher. Exeter. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10. Exam Nov 13 at 11.  
 Collier, Sidney, Windsor, Builder. Windsor. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Oct 25 at 12.  
 Cooper, Esther, Arrow, Warwickshire, Blacksmith. Warwick. Pet Oct 7. Ord Oct 7. Exam Nov 1.  
 Davies, Rhoda, Llangynider, Brecon, Grocer. Tredegar. Pet Oct 8. Ord Oct 9. Exam Nov 1 at 11.  
 Evans, John, Newbridge on Wye, Radnorshire, Innkeeper. Newtown. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Oct 23.  
 Francel, Henry Gedaliah, Liverpool, Commission Agent. Liverpool. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10. Exam Oct 23 at 11.  
 Gallarath, John G., Gooch green, Dulwich, Commission Agent. High Court. Pet Aug 25. Ord Oct 11. Exam Nov 21 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields.  
 Garlick, Joseph, Hammersmith, Dairyman. High Court. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Nov 14 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields.  
 Godwin, John, Ipsden, Oxfordshire, Bricklayer. Oxford. Pet Oct 8. Ord Oct 9. Exam Nov 20 at 12.30.  
 Gresham, Robert, Lincoln, Butcher. Lincoln. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10. Exam Nov 10 at 12.30.  
 Groves, William Edward, Ventnor, Upholsterer. Newport and Ryde. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10. Exam Nov 21 at 10 at Townhall, Ryde.  
 Hilder, Henry Hugh, Nottingham, Cooper. Nottingham. Pet Sept 26. Ord Oct 10. Exam Nov 18.  
 Hodgkinson, Fred, Huddersfield, Pianoforte Dealer. Huddersfield. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Oct 24 at 11.  
 Hollins, William, Southampton, Saddler. Southampton. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10. Exam Oct 24 at 11.  
 Hood, William, Wednesbury, Staffordshire, Earthenware Dealer. Walsall. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10. Exam Oct 27 at 12.  
 Jones, Thomas, Bromley, Kent, Builder. Croydon. Pet Oct 3. Ord Oct 3. Exam Nov 7.  
 Knudsen, Knud Frederick, Gracechurch st, Commission Agent. Pet Oct 11. Ord Oct 11. Exam Nov 20 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields.  
 Lewis, Robert, Liverpool, Painter. Liverpool. Pet Oct 11. Ord Oct 11. Exam Oct 23 at 11.  
 Lonsdale, John, The Parade, Turnham Green, Draper. Brentford. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Oct 30 at 12.  
 Pilling, John, Hunslet, Leeds, Grocer. Leeds. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Oct 31 at 11.  
 Port, Frederick, Kingsbridge, Devonshire, Bootmaker. East Stonehouse. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 11. Exam Oct 29.  
 Proffitt, William, Darlaston, Staffordshire, Buckle Manufacturer. Walsall. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Oct 27 at 11.30.  
 Ripley, Frank Tarn, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, Jeweller. Chesterfield. Pet Oct 2. Ord Oct 9. Exam Nov 12.  
 Roy, George Pictain, Hackney, Coal Merchant. High Court. Pet Aug 21. Ord Oct 9. Exam Nov 18 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields.  
 Sargent, Leonard, Milton rd, Oilman. High Court. Pet Sept 12. Ord Oct 10. Exam Nov 18 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields.  
 Shrimpton, Jane, Studley, Warwickshire, Needle Manufacturer. Warwick. Pet Oct 3. Ord Oct 9. Exam Nov 11.

Simmonds, Philip Stephen, Northampton sq, Goswell rd, out of business. High Court. Pet Oct 11. Ord Oct 11. Exam Nov 19 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields.  
 Smith, George Edward, Manchester Hotel, Aldersgate st, Clerk. High Court. Pet Sept 18. Ord Oct 10. Exam Nov 18 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields.  
 Stevens, David McCluer, The Mount, Guildford, Surrey, Accountant. Guildford. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Nov 20 at 1 at the Public Hall, Godalming.  
 Thomas, Benjamin Townsend, Halifax, Yorkshire, Commission Agent. Halifax. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Oct 30.  
 Thornton, William, Leeds, out of business. Leeds. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Oct 21 at 11.  
 Tole, William, Newport Pagnel, Buckinghamshire, no occupation. Northampton. Pet Oct 11. Ord Oct 11. Exam Nov 13.  
 Tully, Gerald Thomas, Preston, Lancashire, Bank Manager. High Court. Pet July 28. Ord Oct 9. Exam Nov 18 at 11 at 34, Lincoln's inn fields.  
 Vogt, Alfred Fidells, Northampton, Watchmaker. Northampton. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10. Exam Nov 11.  
 Walker, Robert Medd, Garston, Lancashire, Draper. Liverpool. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9. Exam Oct 20 at 11.  
 Widdowson, Thomas Mann, Swaton, Lincolnshire, Farmer. Boston. Pet Oct 11. Ord Oct 11. Exam Nov 6 at 2.  
 Williams, Richard, Ancoats, Manchester, Brickmaker. Manchester. Pet Oct 7. Ord Oct 10. Exam Oct 23 at 12.  
 Williams, Samuel, Swansea, Mason. Swansea. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10. Exam Nov 13.  
 Wood, William Henry, Ore, Hastings, Pork Butcher. Hastings. Pet Oct 11. Ord Oct 11. Exam Nov 10.

## FIRST MEETINGS.

Beer, John, Sheephead, Leicestershire, Hosiery Manufacturer. Oct 22 at 3. Official Receiver, 28, Friar lane, Leicester.  
 Bell, William, Barnsley, Greengrocer. Oct 22 at 1. County Court Hall, Regent st, Barnsley.  
 Butler, George, Sidmouth, Devonshire, Pork Butcher. Oct 24 at 2.30. Bedford Hotel, Sidmouth.  
 Caswell, Frederick, Portrack, nr Stockton on Tees, Licensed Victualler. Oct 22 at 11. Official Receiver, 5, Albert rd, Middlesbrough.  
 Chastney, Mary Ellen, Blackburn, Clock Dealer. Oct 22 at 3. White Bull Inn, Chorley, Blackburn.  
 Cooper, Esther, Arrow, Warwickshire, Blacksmith. Oct 21 at 12.30. Langston, Jones, and King, Solicitors, Alcester.  
 Craik, Robert, Barrow in Furness, Draper. Oct 22 at 12. Official Receiver, 2, Paxton terr, Barrow in Furness.  
 Dale, James William, Leeds, Hosiery. Oct 22 at 11. Official Receiver, St Andrew's chhrs, 22, Park row, Leeds.  
 Davies, Rhoda, Llangynider, Brecon, Grocer. Oct 23 at 12. Official Receiver, 2, St James's chhrs, London.  
 Doughty, Edward, Penkridge, Staffordshire, Shoe Dealer. Nov 5 at 2.45. County Court Offices, Stafford.  
 Dunsby, Charles, Barnsley, Yorkshire, Tailor. Oct 22 at 12. County Court Hall, Regent st, Barnsley.  
 Evans, John, Newbridge, Radnorshire, Innkeeper. Oct 22 at 1. Official Receiver, Llanidloes.  
 Exton, Archer, Gloucester, Innkeeper. Oct 21 at 11. Official Receiver, 84, Barton chhrs, Gloucester.  
 Eyles, Silas, King st, Hammersmith, Builder. Oct 23 at 11. Bankruptcy bldgs, Portugal st, Lincoln's inn.  
 Fricker, Thomas, Uxbridge, Poultry Dealer. Oct 23 at 1. 33, Carey st, Lincoln's inn.  
 Hodgkinson, Fred, Huddersfield, Pianoforte Dealer. Oct 23 at 3. Official Receiver, New st, Huddersfield.  
 Hood, William, Wednesbury, Staffordshire, Earthenware Dealer. Oct 27 at 10. Official Receiver, Bridge st, Walsall.  
 Pamphill, John Thomas, Chigwell, Essex, Builder. Oct 21 at 2. County Court, Romford.  
 Pilling, John, Leeds, Grocer. Oct 22 at 12. Official Receiver, St Andrew's chhrs, Park row, Leeds.  
 Proffitt, William, Darlaston, Staffordshire, Buckle Manufacturer. Oct 23 at 11.30. Official Receiver, Bridge st, Walsall.  
 Ripley, Frank Tarn, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, Watchmaker. Oct 22 at 2. Official Receiver, St James's chhrs, Derby.  
 Robertson, Thomas Boswell, Cardiff, Commission Agent. Oct 22 at 12.30. Official Receiver, Bank chhrs, Bristol.  
 Rowberry, John, Abergwilly, Carmarthenshire, Farmer. Oct 22 at 11. 8, Quay st, Carmarthen.  
 Shrimpton, Jane, Studley, Warwickshire, Needle Manufacturer. Oct 23 at 2. Browning, Solicitor, Redditch.  
 Smith, Henry Gregory, Commercial rd, Pimlico. Oct 23 at 12. 33, Carey st, Lincoln's inn.  
 Thomas, Benjamin Townsend, Halifax, Commission Agent. Oct 22 at 11. Official Receiver, Townhall chhrs, Halifax.  
 Thompson, John, Hulme, Manchester, Baker. Oct 22 at 11.30. Court House, Encombe pl, Salford.  
 Thornton, William, Leeds, out of business. Oct 22 at 3. Official Receiver, St Andrew's chhrs, 22, Park row, Leeds.  
 Turner, James Anthony, Birchin lane, out of business. Oct 21 at 12. Bankruptcy bldgs, Portugal st, Lincoln's inn.  
 Webber, Thomas, Gloucester, Grocer. Oct 21 at 4. Official Receiver, 84, Barton st, Gloucester.  
 Williams, Samuel, Swansea, Mason. Oct 24 at 11. Official Receiver, 6, Rutland st, Swansea.

## ADJUDICATIONS.

Bevan, Edward, Birkenhead, Jeweller. Birkenhead. Pet Oct 8. Ord Oct 8.  
 Brown, Robert Fleet, Handsworth, nr Birmingham, Draper. Hanley, Burslem, and Tunstall. Pet Oct 11. Ord Oct 11.  
 Butter, George, Sidmouth, Devonshire, Pork Butcher. Exeter. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10.  
 Clouston, R. L., Manchester, Stockbroker. Manchester. Pet Aug 22. Ord Oct 9.  
 Collier, Sidney, Windsor, Builder. Windsor. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9.  
 Cook, John Blyth, Cinderford, Gloucestershire, Draper. Gloucester. Pet Sept 13. Ord Oct 11.  
 Craik, Robert, Barrow in Furness, Draper. Ulverston and Barrow in Furness. Pet Oct 7. Ord Oct 10.  
 Dale, James William, Leeds, Hosiery. Leeds. Pet Oct 8. Ord Oct 9.  
 Doughty, Edward, Penkridge, Staffordshire, Shoe Dealer. Stafford. Pet Sept 24. Ord Oct 9.  
 Exton, Archer, Gloucester, Innkeeper. Gloucester. Pet Oct 6. Ord Oct 11.  
 Farr, John, Kilpeck, Herefordshire, Farmer. Hereford. Pet Sept 16. Ord Oct 9.  
 Garlick, Joseph, Hammersmith, Dairyman. High Court. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 9.  
 Godwin, John, Ipsden, Oxfordshire, Bricklayer. Oxford. Pet Oct 8. Ord Oct 9.  
 Hands, Isaac, Gt Grimsby, Walter. Gt Grimsby. Pet Oct 4. Ord Oct 8.  
 Heath, Albert Felix, Chelsea, Draper. High Court. Pet Sept 18. Ord Oct 11.  
 Johnson, John William, Gt Grimsby, Greengrocer. Gt Grimsby. Pet Sept 24. Ord Oct 8.  
 Jones, John Charles, Ryde, I.W., Fruiterer. Newport and Ryde. Pet Oct 6. Ord Oct 8.

Lee, Francis John, Camborne, Cornwall, Accountant. Truro. Pet Oct 1. Ord Oct 9  
 Millett, Charles Frederick, Salisbury, Boot Factor. Salisbury. Pet Sept 20. Ord Oct 11  
 Page Brothers, Pentonville rd, King's Cross, Coal Merchants. High Court. Pet Aug 21. Ord Oct 9  
 Philpott, John, York st, Westminster, Licensed Victualler. High Court. Pet Aug 22. Ord Oct 9  
 Pilling, John, Leeds, Grocer. Leeds. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 10  
 Robertson, Alexander, Little Sutton, Estate Broker. Birkenhead. Pet Aug 16. Ord Oct 8  
 Rust, Robert, Bognor, Sussex, Gent. Brighton. Pet Aug 28. Ord Oct 9  
 Sissling, Henry Arthur, Chesterton, nr Newcastle under Lyme, Pawnbroker. Hanley, Burnell, and Tunstall. Pet Sept 3. Ord Oct 10  
 Stephens, Frederick William, Tonbridge Wells, Kent, Stationer. Tonbridge Wells. Pet Sept 12. Ord Oct 9  
 Stevens, Margaret Anne, St Leonard's on Sea, Schoolmistress, Hastings. Pet Sept 24. Ord Oct 9  
 Thomas, Benjamin Townsend, Halifax, Commission Agent. Halifax. Pet Oct 9. Ord Oct 11  
 Toile, William, Newport Pagnel, Buckinghamshire. Northampton. Pet Oct 11. Ord Oct 11  
 Vogt, Alfred Fidelis, Northampton, Watchmaker. Northampton. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 10  
 Webber, Thomas, Gloucester, Grocer. Gloucester. Pet Oct 7. Ord Oct 11  
 Williams, Richard, Ancoats, Manchester, Brickmaker. Manchester. Pet Oct 7. Ord Oct 10  
 Williams, Samuel, Gorse Cockett, nr Swansea, Mason. Swansea. Pet Oct 10. Ord Oct 11  
 Worstfold, Henry, West Grinstead, Sussex, Wheelwright. Brighton. Pet Sept 19. Ord Oct 10  
 The following Amended Notice is substituted for that published in the London Gazette of Oct 7.  
 Clegg, Matthew, Dewsbury, Yorkshire, Rag Merchant. Dewsbury. Pet Sept 20. Ord Oct 3  
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